



Hand Carry

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:	Roma, Norbert	Confirmation No.:	2080
Serial No.:	09/551,014	Art Unit:	2145
Filed:	April 18, 2000	Examiner:	Pollack, Melvin
For:	A Method and Apparatus for Comparing Scores in a Vector Space Retrieval Process	Attorney Docket No:	940630-010-020

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated February 2, 2006 be extended for a period of 1 month(s) from May 2, 2006 to and including June 2, 2006.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$120.00. A check to cover the amount of the fee is enclosed herewith. Please charge any deficiency in the fee, or credit any overpayment, to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Date: June 2, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

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